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REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION
and
PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

Prior to the first Official Action in this matter, Applicant hereby requests
amendment of the above-identified application as follows: